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In re application of: Ravi Srinivasan

Serial No.: 09/721,249

Filing Date: November 22, 2000

For: RADIO-FREQUENCY COIL ARRAY FOR RESONANCE IMAGING
ANALYSIS

Examiner: Tiffany A. Fetzner

Art Unit: 2862

**Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 14, 2002

Sir:

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and comments.

A petition and fee for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action is submitted herewith.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE DRAWINGS:

Filed herewith is a formal request for approval of the following drawing changes:

In Figs. 1a, 2a, 3a and 4a, please add the legend "Prior Art".